

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing 35 references. Copies of disclosed U.S. patents and/or publications are not included pursuant to PTO waiver of the requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) for applications filed after June 30, 2003. Copies of other references, if listed, are enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
	1.	5,848,690	12/15/98	Granger et al.			
	2.	3,829,669	11/3/98	Drummond et al.			
	3.	5,730,286	3/24/98	Eska			
	4.	5,723,085	3/3/98	Abrans et al.			
	5.	5,641,064	06/24/97	Goserund			
	6.	5,511,666	4/30/96	Grip			
	7.	5,433,491	7/18/95	Green			
	8.	5,253,871	10/19/93	Viollaz			
	9.	4,812,116	3/14/99	Abrams			
	10.	4,783,056	11/8/88	Abrams			
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	18.	4,194,657	3/25/80	Thor			
	19.	4,157,762	6/12/79	Robinson			
	20.	3,819,040	6/25/74	Coons			
	21.	2,718,980	9/27/55	Strom			
	22.	2,560,376	7/10/51	Waterman			
	23.	1,421,955	07/04/22	C.B. Kemp			
	24.	1,050,706	01/14/13	A. Taylor			
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	26.	Des. 375,406	11/12/96	Smith			
	27.	Des. 369,972	5/21/96	Solheim			

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	28.	Des. 291,842	9/15/87	Baumgardner			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
	29.	7187268	07/25/95	Japan				
	30.	2280379	01/02/95	United Kingdom				
	31.	WO 01/94240	12/13/01	PCT				

EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)	
	32.	Photograph of Jetstream Wetball golf ball container (Fig. 1-3).
	33.	Photographs of Cardboard cylinder container (Fig 4-8).
	34.	Photographs of plastic cylinder with removable gold cap (Fig. 9-15).
	35.	"The Old Ball Game", Golf World, 5/12/00, PP 56.

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